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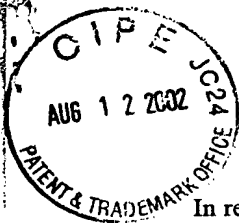
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AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of July 17, 2002,
Applicants respectfully request that the above-identified
application be amended as follows.



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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

X No fee is required.

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_____ Independent claims in excess of 3 previously paid for, at \$84 (\$42) _____.

_____ Additional Fee for this Amendment _____.

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_____ The fee of \$ _____ set by 37 C.F.R § 1.17(p) for the Information Disclosure Statement is due and paid herewith.

_____ A check in the amount of \$ _____ is attached.

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